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Henry J. Kleinhenz has become the first person to graduate with a PhD in Art History from the Art Museum Studies Program of The Cleveland Museum of Art and Case Western Reserve University. The joint program was begun in 1972 and is designed to provide experience in connoisseurship, conservation, and art history education as well as academic course work and independent research for the person intending to pursue a museum career.

Under a grant from the Kress Foundation Mr. Kleinhenz concentrated in Chinese Art with a dissertation on the pre-Ming porcelaneous ceramics from the Museum's collection viewed in the light of recent archaeological investigations conducted on mainland China.

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